ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

January 23, 2003

The Department of Transportation of the State of Illinois, for an in behalf of the People of the State of Illinois, Petitioner,

Vs.

Kansas City Southern Railway Company, Respondent.

T03-0003

Petition for Approval to Take Property in Scott and Greene Counties, Illinois, by exercising the right of eminent domain. Parcels 6248167PE1, 6248167PE2, 6248167PE3, 6248167TE1, 6248167TE2, 6248167TE3 and 6248167TE4.

Mr. Stanley L. Morris Quinn, Johnston, Henderson & Pretorius, Chartered 205 S. Fifth St., Ste. 900 Springfield, IL 62701

Dear Mr. Morris:

Receipt is acknowledged of the original and three (3) copies of the Petition filed January 21, 2003 in the above matter.

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